

Table 14a. Standard errors on types of alternative or temporary work arrangements by doctoral scientists and engineers, by sex: 1997

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Type of work arrangement	Total	Sex	
		Male	Female
Total employed (number).....	2,748.1	2,725.8	1,095.9
		Percent	
Self-employed working as an independent contractor.....	0.2	0.2	0.4
Principal employer contracted out employee services to other organization(s).....	0.1	0.2	0.3
Working through a temporary help or employment agency.....	S	S	S
Working on an "as needed," "seasonal," or short-term basis.....	0.1	0.1	0.2
Job sharing.....	S	S	S
Working from home for 50 percent or more of work time.....	0.1	0.2	0.3
Something else.....	0.1	0.1	S

KEY: S = Suppressed due to too few cases in the estimate (fewer than 1,000 weighted cases).

NOTES: Standard errors are rounded to the nearest tenth. Survey of Doctorate Recipients includes persons who had earned a science and engineering research doctorate from an U.S. institution and resided in U.S. as of April 1997.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, 1997 Survey of Doctorate Recipients.